Rockville. Feby. 18. 1854.

To the
Board of Managers of the Colon. Fund.
Gentn.

At the instance of Nicholas L Dawson, Executor of Thomas Dawson of N. I take leave to inform you, there are some half dozen or more colored persons, manumitted by the will of his testator, who have not been removed from the State according to the provisions of the act of 1831. ch 281.
The Executor desires to know, whether the offer to remove them has been made and they have refused to accept it, in order that, in that event, he may call upon the proper authorities to enforce the law.

I am with great respect
Your
Rich.d J. Bowie
Atty for
Nich.s L. Dawson

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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